Substitute for PTO-1390 (Rev. 12-2004) "Transmittal Letter to the United States Designated/Elected Office(D-LEO/US)Concerning a Submission Under 35 U.S.C. 371"

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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILIN	G DATE PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED										
PCT/US03/22807 21 JULY 2003	25 JULY 2002										
TITLE OF INVENTION											
THERAPEUTIC COMPOUNDS FOR TREATING DYSLIPIDEMIC CONDITIONS											
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US											
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Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information:											
1. X This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a fili	ng under 35 U.S.C. 371.										
2. This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 U.S.C. 371.											
3. This is an express request to begin national examination procedures [35 U.S.C. 371(f)]. The submission must include items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated below.											
4. X The US has been elected (PCT Article 31).											
5. A copy of the International Application as filed [35 U											
a. is attached hereto (required only if not commu	nicated by the International Bureau).										
b. has been communicated by the International Bureau.											
c. X is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).											
6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)]. a. is attached hereto											
b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4).											
7. Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)]. a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).											
b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.											
c. have not been made; however, the time limit for	r making such amendments has NOT expired.										
d. have not been made and will not be made.											
8. An English language translation of the amendments to	the claims under PCT Article 19 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)].										
9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) [35 U.S.C. 3	•										
 10. An English language translation of the annexes to the Article 36 [35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)]. Items 11 to 20 below concern other document(s) or information. 	International Preliminary Examination Report under PCT										
11. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1											
12. An assignment document for recording. A separate cois included.											
13. A preliminary amendment.	EXPRESS MAIL CERTIFICATE										
14. An Application Data Sheet under 37 CFR 1.76.	DATE OF DEPOSIT 1-24-05										
15. A substitute specification.	EXPRESS MAIL NO. EL 98958773145 I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE IS										
16. A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.	BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES POSTAL										
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